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## HOUSE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

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**H-6464 WAS ERRONEOUSLY POSTED FOR CONSIDERATION AND IS NOW SCHEDULED FOR HEARING**

### NOTICE OF MEETING

**DATE:** Tuesday, June 29, 2021

**TIME:** Rise of the House

**PLACE:** House Lounge - State House

### SCHEDULED FOR HEARING

**House Bill No. [6464](#)**

**BY Tanzi, Shekarchi, Biah, Ajello, Cassar, Shallcross Smith, Morales, Cortvriend, Ranglin-Vassell, Kislak**

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD AND TENANT ACT {LC3077/1} (Provides for the sealing and unsealing of court files in residential eviction proceedings and provides that any eviction for nonpayment of rent, in which the rent arrearage is paid through a rent relief program, shall remain sealed permanently.)

06/24/2021 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

06/27/2021 Scheduled for hearing

### SCHEDULED FOR CONSIDERATION

**House Bill No. [5580](#)**

**BY C Lima**

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC RELATIONS -- DIVORCE AND SEPARATION {LC899/1} (Creates a custody procedure for pets in divorce and separation proceedings based on the best interests of the animal. This act would not apply to assistance/service animals.)

02/12/2021 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

03/05/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/10/2021 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

06/27/2021 Scheduled for consideration

**The State House remains closed to in-person testimony.**

The meeting will be televised on Capitol Television, which can be seen on Cox Channels 15, and 61, in high definition on Cox Channel 1061, on Full Channel on Channel 15 and on Channel 34 by Verizon subscribers.

It will also be live streamed at <http://rilegislature.gov/CapTV/Pages/default.aspx> .

## **WRITTEN TESTIMONY**

Written testimony is strongly encouraged and may be submitted via  
**HouseJudiciary@rilegislature.gov**

**Indicate your name, bill number, and viewpoint (for/against/neither) at top of message.  
Due to high volume, clerks are not screening this inbox for verbal testimony requests.  
This inbox is for written testimony only.**

DEADLINE: Written testimony should be submitted no later than three (3) hours prior to the posted meeting time. Every effort will be made to share written testimony submitted before the deadline with committee members prior to the hearing. Testimony received after deadline will be sent to committee members and posted to the website as soon as possible.

**For faster processing, it is recommended that testimony is submitted as a PDF file.**

**Testimony will be posted on the General Assembly website,  
<http://www.rilegislature.gov/Special/comdoc/Pages/HJUD.aspx> .**

## **VERBAL TESTIMONY**

Due to the extremely high volume of requests, and in order to accommodate as many constituents as possible, please take note of the revised procedure for verbal testimony:

**\*DEADLINE: Requests for verbal testimony must be submitted via the link, by 4:00 PM on Monday, June 28, 2021.**

For verbal testimony requests, [CLICK HERE](#)

Verbal testimony accepted on any bill scheduled for "Hearing and/or Consideration" only

The committee is unable to designate a specific time that you will be called. In the event you are unavailable when called, witnesses are urged to submit written testimony.

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